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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> |                            | Docket Number (Optional)<br>BASF-0004 |
| In re Application of<br>Claudia WIEGAND et al.              |                            |                                       |
| Application Number<br>10/031,787                            | Filed<br>May 20, 2002      |                                       |
| For ETCHING SOLUTION, CONTAINING HYDROFLUORIC ACID          |                            |                                       |
| Group Art Unit<br>1763                                      | Examiner<br>Allan W. Olsen |                                       |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))             | \$ _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))          | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))           | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))           | \$ _____ |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 13-3402.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). \_\_\_\_\_

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| October 2, 2006 |                                       |
| Date            | Signature                             |
|                 | Jennifer J. Branigan, Reg. No. 40,921 |

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| Repln Ref: 10/04/2006 MAHED1 0021213800 | Typed or printed name               |
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

☐ \*Total of 2 forms are submitted.